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### Scottsville Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

SCOTTSVILLE, VA., May 8.—Mrs. J. V. Pereira was hostess Tuesday afternoon at a delightful "at home" in honor of Mrs. William H. Stroh, of Lynchburg. The guests were Mrs. James P. Holladay, Mrs. A. Gilbert Bell, Mrs. Maudie Bell, Mrs. Best of Warren, Miss Charlotte Tompkins, Mrs. Frank Patterson, Mrs. W. Douglas Patterson, Mrs. Joseph Percival Blair, Mrs. William C. White, of Hardware, Mrs. Marjette Powers, Mrs. Leslie H. Walton, Mrs. Nathan T. Slater, Miss Beattie Holladay, Mrs. A. Douglas Kincaid, Miss Lucie Powers, Miss Rose Farrier, Mrs. David H. Pitts, Mrs. James M. Burdette and Mrs. John S. Davis. Misses Marjette and Lucie Powers served refreshments.

R. C. Blankenship is visiting friends here.

W. D. Smith, with the pupils of the High School, spent Saturday at Albemarle.

Henry Gantt Camp, Confederate Veterans, attended the unveiling of the Confederate monument in Charlottesville, Wednesday.

Mrs. W. H. Strohler returned Wednesday to Lynchburg after a week's visit to Mrs. J. V. Pereira.

Mrs. W. C. White, of Hardware, was the guest of Mrs. L. Gordon White this week.

Dr. J. P. Blair spent Wednesday in Charlottesville.

Miss Nellie Scruggs visited Charlottesville this week.

A. G. Bell, of Atlanta, spent the first of the week with his family here.

### Martinsville Social News.

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MARTINSVILLE, VA., May 8.—Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Bove, of Richmond, spent several days here this week as the guests of their daughter, Mrs. John T. Penn, of Broad Street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Baker and Miss Gilberta S. Whittle, of Richmond, are guests at the home of Judge S. G. Whittle, Church Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter Williams, of Boydton, who have been spending some time with relatives in Lynchburg and Bluefield, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Will, Cleveland Avenue.

Mrs. W. S. Brown, who has been visiting friends in Birmingham and other Southern cities for the past three months, returned home last week.

Mrs. Edwin G. Penn returned Saturday from a visit to friends in Winston and Washington, N. C.

Miss Roy Smith is the guest of Mrs. Caroline S. Daniel in Roanoke.

W. G. Bates, Jr., is the guest of his father, Rev. W. G. Bates, at the parsonage.

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## Suffolk Social News

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SUFFOLK, VA., May 8.—The Tuesday Card Club was entertained this week by Mrs. Anna Mary Haddock at her home in North Main Street. As the outcome of a six-hand euchre contest, the club prizes were won by Mrs. Robert Walter Withers; the guests prize, a Jabot, by Miss Elizabeth Haddock; the one-hand trophy, a decorated pitcher, by Mrs. Robert J. Norfleet, and the consolation, two collars and cuffs, by Mrs. Claude J. Haddock. Other prizes were won by Mrs. N. R. Withers, Mrs. Arthur Woolford, Mrs. George P. Urquhart, Mrs. Charles A. Jenkins, Miss B. L. Woodward, Jr., Miss Katharine Lewis, Mrs. L. M. Disway, Mrs. M. T. Withers, Mrs. W. H. Darden, Mrs. James C. Smith, Mrs. G. H. Royler, Mrs. John C. Smith, Mrs. J. T. Withers, Miss Nan Withers, Mrs. C. C. Cahoon, Miss Louise Crump, Mrs. V. C. Russell, and Miss Marie Woodward. Miss Lillian Norfleet, Mrs. H. E. Elam, and Miss Mary Judith Smith. The Randolph Society was entertained this week by Mrs. Charles L. Hutchins, at her home in Main Street. Prizes were secured by Mrs. Mary Dell, Mrs. L. M. Disway and Mrs. Charles E. Cramer.

From 4:30 to 6:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon Mrs. Ernest L. Folk received in honor of her sister, Mrs. V. C. Russell, of Massillon, O. The hostess was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Russell, Mrs. J. Calvin Little, Mrs. A. J. Russell, Mrs. J. H. Russell, of Lamet, Del., and Mrs. Henry Beth Eley, of Suffolk. Punch was served by Mrs. Harvey M. Butler, Mrs. Russell and Mrs. Julia Freeny. Mrs. Henry Wood Campbell, Miss Elizabeth Booker, Miss Elizabeth Haddock, Miss Mary Adams, Miss Dora Bird, did dining-room service.

Miss Mary Withers has concluded a visit to the University of Virginia and Sweetbrier Institute.

Captain and Mrs. George T. Parker are visiting relatives in Princeton, N. C.

The Literary Club was entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. L. P. Harper at her home in Main Street.

Mrs. Susie Holland and Mrs. William H. Jones, Jr., this week entertained the Ladies' Benevolent and Social Union of the Christian Church.

Miss Josephine Lawrence this week was hostess to members of the Lotus Club.

Laure Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

LAURE, VA., May 8.—The Entertainment given by the Unionville graded school Saturday night for improving the campus, was held in the Christian Church and liberally patronized.

Mrs. Jennie Chandler, of Charlottesville, visited Orange friends this week.

Mrs. Lizzie Martin, widow of West Virginia, with her husband, visited Thorn Hill friends yesterday. They will spend the summer in Orange.

J. J. Daniel will take five of his fine horses to Richmond next week to compete for prizes.

Rev. Marshall Frazer and wife, of Kentucky, are visiting relatives at Pine Top.

Mrs. E. T. Brockman returned yesterday from several days' visit to relatives in lower Louisiana.

Dr. Robert Frazer is visiting his sister, Mrs. O. T. Terry, near here.

Mrs. Nan Frazer is visiting relatives and friends in Fredericksburg.

T. S. Crassey has sold his fine farm near here, and expects to return to his Chicago home.

Emmett Grasty, of Dakota, is visiting Orange relatives.

Afton Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

AFTON, VA., May 8.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Scott, of Richmond, spent several days last week at their summer home, "Royal Orchard."

John R. Coleman, of West Virginia, is at Greenfield looking after his property.

Mrs. James R. Goodie, of the Afton House, and Miss Margaret Saunders, will leave this week to visit Mrs. Bailey Saunders in Richmond.

Mrs. W. E. Birch left to-day for New Glasgow, where she will spend several months visiting friends.

Mr. Carter, of Louisiana, was a guest at Redlands last week.

Miss Belle DeFreire has returned to school at Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis Goodie and son, of Staunton, were guests last week of relatives at Onan.

Rev. Mr. Billings and family have moved to Lovington, where Mr. Billings has accepted the pastorate of three Baptist churches.

Mr. and Mrs. Massie McCue were Wayneboro visitors this week.

Ballsville Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

BALLSVILLE, VA., May 8.—Mrs. Thos. L. Timberlake and children are visiting relatives in Richmond this week.

Miss Ellen Walker, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. P. L. Lipscomb, will return to her home in Walkertown, this week.

Miss Louise Taylor was the week-end guest of Mrs. Robert Tucker, at Fortnight.

Miss Beattie Bachy spent several days with friends in Richmond and Manchester the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton McLaurine are visiting in Chester and Richmond.

Miss Beattie L. Blanton left for Richmond Tuesday.

R. C. Bristow, who has been in Danville for the past month, is at home again.

Miss Mamie Love, who has been quite ill, is much improved.

Daniel Brown spent Monday and Tuesday in Richmond.

Miss Hattie Gullis, who has been teaching in Prince Edward county, the past session, has returned home.

Wakefield Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WAKEFIELD, VA., May 8.—Mrs. C. E. Boothe and children have gone for a month's visit to Mrs. Boothe's parents, at Rocky Ridge, Md.

Mrs. Sadie Strange returned to her home at Fortnight, after spending several weeks with her son, J. J. Johnson, and family.

A. Lucie Lincoln, superintendent of the Aycock graded schools, Haw River, N. C., is spending a while with his parents, Professor and Mrs. J. J. Lincoln.

Miss Mary Foushee has closed her school at Creed, and will spend the summer with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. N. B. Foushee, of Petersburg.

Visiting her sister, Mrs. Olla Richardson.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church, Wakefield, held an all-day meeting at the parsonage. Representatives from other aid societies of the churches on this charge were present.

Rev. R. S. Baughman, of Ford, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stephenson and other members of his former pastorate here.

The Wakefield Lodge, I. O. O. F., held its annual public meeting in the school auditorium, C. W. Morris, past grand master of the State, delivered an address.

Williamsburg Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

WILLIAMSBURG, VA., May 8.—Dr. H. E. Davis entertained at bridge at the home of Miss Elizabeth Henley, Monday night. Those playing were Misses Kelley, Julia Tyler, Sue Hundley, Mab Stubbs and Dr. Tyler, Conrad, Wilson and Professor Ferguson.

Mrs. L. W. Lane was hostess at a 1 o'clock luncheon in honor of her guest, Mrs. Elkins, of Philadelphia. Those present were Mesdames Cole, Goodwin, Bird, Spencer, Lane and Misses Annie Galt, Virginia Peachy and Martha Lane.

Mrs. George and Coleman from Winona, Minn., returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. W. G. Baylis spent several days in Richmond this week.

Miss North Mason is visiting friends in Washington.

Chas. Barnes left Monday for Roanoke, where he has accepted a position.

Miss Dorah Armstrong returned to the school at Cape Charles, Wednesday.

State Normal School, here with her spending several days.

Miss Elizabeth Coleman returned home Monday from Washington, where she spent the winter with friends.

Miss Cary Armstrong has closed her school in New York county and returned to her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Lane have returned home from a visit to friends in Washington.

Miss Virginia Harrison returned home Wednesday from Norfolk, where she has been teaching during the past winter.

Miss Beulah Brooks has returned home from Norfolk, from a visit to Mrs. Francis White.

Misses Lucy Valden, Emma Lou Barlow and Cecilia Powell have returned home from Cape Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Lamb, of Norfolk, spent last Sunday with Captain and Mrs. Thorpe.

Mrs. John Purcell and son, Thorpe, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Thorpe.

Dr. J. Blair Spencer, of Washington, visited relatives here last week.

Rev. D. T. Merritt, of Richmond, spent Friday here with old friends.

Ducas Social News.

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DUCAS, VA., May 8.—John Shadrick, of Madison, Wis., has bought a portable "Bellevue," the large estate of the "Hopes,"

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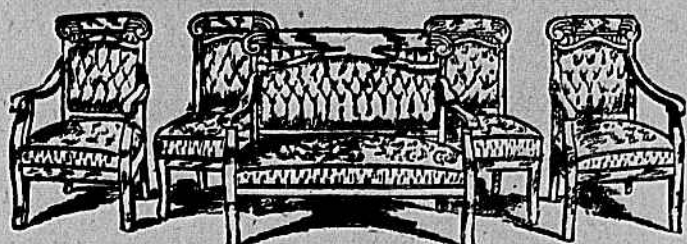
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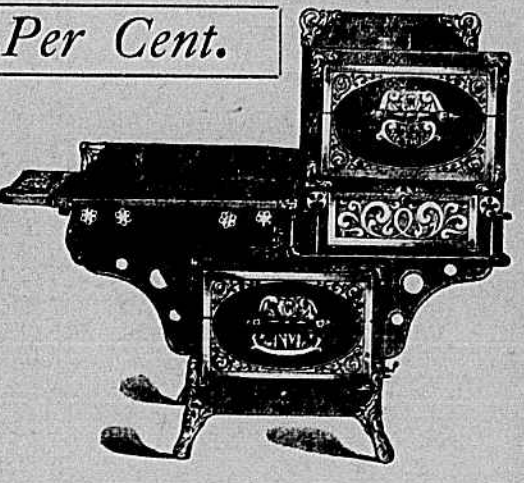
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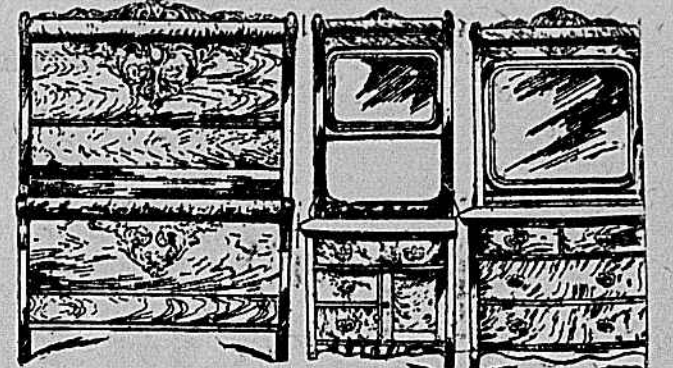
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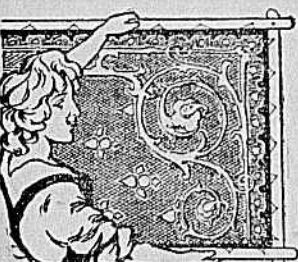
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who has been a guest of Miss Mary Ogilvie Taylor, at her cottage, near King George, for the past month, has returned home.

Miss Josephine Garnett, who has been a guest of Mrs. William Pinckney Berry, of Prince George county, Md., for the past month, is expected home this week.

Mrs. Oscar Syron, two daughters and son of Washington, have arrived here to spend the spring and summer at their pretty cottage. Mr. Syron has returned to Washington after a short stay here.

### Saltville Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

SALTVILLE, VA., May 8.—Evangelist H. D. Coffey, at the Christian Church, Lynchburg, has, for the past three weeks, been conducting a revival in the Ferryville

chapel in the suburbs of Saltville. This has been one of the most successful ever held in this section, and continues with unabated interest. There have been up to this time about 225 conversions, and about 150 have united themselves with the Christian Church.

A. H. Fink has been indisposed for several days, but he is now improving.

Misses Margaret and Martha McGavock, of Max Meadows, Wythe county, have been on a visit to their brother, Professor D. G. McGavock, of Saltville.

Dr. J. H. Dunkley attended a meeting of the State Board of Health.

H. A. Miller and F. K. Cook were in Bristol Tuesday.

Miss Leila Hale, of Martha Washington College, was the guest of Miss Leona Hobbs the first of the week.

Midlothian Social News.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

MIDLOTHIAN, VA., May 8.—Miss Belle Lumsden, of Bon Air, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Hudneth, last Sunday.